

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK GUANGZHOU CSSC - OCEANLINE - GWS MARINE ENGINEERING CO., LTD.,

Plaintiff.

- against -

UNIVAN SHIP MANAGEMENT LIMITED WISEBERG HOLDINGS LTD., AND EWANTAS OIL SDN BHD.

Defendants

Case No. 08 CV 6299 (LAK)

AFFIDAVIT OF CAPT. C.A.
VANDERPERRE IN
SUPPORT OF
DEFENDANT'S MOTION
TO VACATE
ATTACHMENT

Captain C.A. Vanderperre, being duly sworn, deposes and says pursuant to the penalties of perjury under the laws of the United States of America:

- 1. I am a Director for Defendant UNIVAN SHIP MANAGEMENT LIMITED ("Univan"). I have been involved in the commercial operation of ocean-going vessels for ____ years, and make this Declaration in Support of Defendant's Motion to Vacate Attachment based on personal knowledge and a review of the underlying documents, except for those matters stated to be upon information and belief, and as to those matters I believe them to be true.
- 2. Univan is a ship management company organized under the laws of Hong Kong, China, that provides assistance to the owners of ocean-going vessels in managing their vessels. Univan does not own any vessels. Ship management companies are common in the maritime industry and I believe it is widely recognized in that industry that ship management companies are operating on behalf of ship-owning principals.
- 3. Univan is wholly owned by the Vanlink Group Limited, of the British Virgin Islands. The Directors of Univan are myself and Yick Kuen Lo. Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is a true and correct copy of the publicly-available 2008 Univan Annual Return filed in Hong Kong.

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- Univan has offices at Suite 801, 8th Floor, Asian House, 1 Hennessey Rd., Wanchai, Hong Kong. These offices are not shared with the other Defendants to this action, WISEBERG HOLDING LTD. ("Wiseberg"), and/or EWANTAS OIL SDN BHD. ("Ewantas"). Neither Wiseberg nor Ewantas share ownership, management, office space, addresses, directors, employees telephone numbers telefax numbers, and/or email addresses with Univan.
- 5. Univan acted as technical manager for Wiseberg Holdings in arranging for the dry-docking of M/T DIANA, an ocean-going tanker owned by Wiseberg, at a facility owned by Plaintiff GUANGZHOU CSSC - OCEANLINE - GWS MARINE ENGINEERING CO., LTD. ("Plaintiff"). In doing so, Univan was acting as agent only.
- The correspondence between Univan and Plaintiff shows that Plaintiff was 6. aware at all times that Univan was acting as agent only for the owner, whose identity was disclosed to Plaintiff on numerous occasions and is easily ascertainable. For example, the November 24, 2007, email from Univan to Plaintiff confirming that the dry-dock was booked states:

We are pleased to inform you that the owners have send [sic] their confirmation for booking the dry dock space for the subject vessel at [Plaintiff's dry-dock facility].

Furthermore, the November 24, 2007, email was signed by Univan as "Univan Ship Management As Agent Only". Attached hereto as Exhibit 2 is a true and correct copy of the November 24, 2007, email from Univan to Plaintiff

- 7. Plaintiff was aware that Univan was acting for owner, and responded to the above email on November 26, 2007, asking that Univan "kindly inform owner that we accept their firm booking order . . .". Attached hereto as Exhibit 3 is a true and correct copy of the November 26, 2007, email.
- 8. Univan did not at any time issue to Plaintiff a guarantee of payment for the work preformed by Plaintiff on M/T DIANA.



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- 9. I am unfamiliar with any business entity named "Ewantas Oil Sdn Bhd." and do not believe that entity, if it exists, has any involvement in the instant matter.
- 10. Upon information and belief, Plaintiff's references to "Ewantas Oil" in the Verified Complaint apparently refers to Kwantas Oil Sdn Bhd., ("Kwantas Oil").
- 11. Upon information and belief, Kwantas Oil is a publicly traded entity on the Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, stock exchange. Kwantas Oil is not owned or controlled by Univan and Univan has no equity position in Kwantas Oil or any of its affiliated companies.
- 12. I understand that Kwantas Oil and Wiseberg have a commercial relationship and that Kwantas remitted certain sums in relation to the dry-dock invoice at issue, but I do not know the exact nature of this relationship.
 - 13. Kwantas Oil does not hold or transfer monies on behalf of Univan.
 - 14. Kwantas Oil has never made a payment on behalf of Univan.
- 15. Univan and Kwantas Oil have no common ventures, are not partners in any business organizations anywhere in the world, are not affiliated in any way, and Kwantas Oil does not hold any assets belonging to Univan.

I declare under penalty of perjury of the law of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: Bangkok, Thailand July 21, 2008

CAPT. C.A. VANDERPERRE



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st Day of July, 2008

Notary Public

 Reg. No./ ทะเบียนเลขที่ 304/2546

 Commission Expires / ทะเบียนหมดอายุ

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หนังสือรับรอง

Reg. No.304/2546

CERTIFICATE

หนังสือรับรองฉบับนี้ให้ไว้เพื่อแสดงว่า

This is to certify that

นายนพคุณ พุ่มทองตรู Mr. Noppakoon Poomthongtroo

ใบอนุญาตให้เป็นทนายความเลขที่ 5232/2529

an Attorney at Law, License No. 5232/2529 ได้รับการขึ้นทะเบียนเป็นทนายความผู้ทำคำรับรองลายมือชื่อและเอกสาร has been registered as a Notarial Services Attorney qualified to certify signatures and documents

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pursuant to the Regulations on Registration as an Attorney Qualified to Certify Signatures and Documents B.E. 2546

> หนังสือรับรองฉบับนี้มีผลถึงวันที่ 1 สิงหาคม 2552 This Certificate is valid until August 1, 2009

> > ให้ไว้ ณ วันที่ 12 มิถนายน 2550 Given on June 12, 2007



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นายบุญมา เตชะใช้ใช ผู้อ่านวยการ Mr. Boonma Tejavanija

Director

O. Poputhory Trees สำนักงานทะเบียนแบบการรับรองลายมือชื่อและเอกสาร สภาทนายความ (Mr. Noppakoon Poonthongtroo). Signatures and Documents Attestation Lawyers Council of Thailand

Exhibit 1



Companies Registry

周年申報表

Annual Return

(《公司條例》第 107(1)條) (Companies Ordinance s. 107(1))

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公司編號 Company Number 42707

1 公司名稱 Company Name

Univan Ship Management Limited

商業名稱 Business Name (註 Note 8)

N/A

公司類別 Type of Company

謂在運用的空格內加 / 號 Please tick the relevant box

有股本的私人公司

Private Company having a share capital

其他 Others

本申報委日期 Date of this Return

本申報表列戰公司截至右列日期爲止的資料 The information in this Return is made up to

(如屬有股本的私人公司,本申報表應列軟數至公司成立為法劃的周年日期的 资料·如图其他公司,所列载的资料则建载至公司周年大會日期或以代替周年 大食的害面决器的日期爲止。

For a private company having a share capital, the information in this Return should be made up to the anniversary of the date of incorporation. For other companies, the information should be made up to the date of the annual general meeting (AGM) or the date of written resolution passed in Ileu of AGM.)

5 註冊辦事處地址 Address of Registered Office (註 Note 9)

Suite 801, 8/F., Asian House, 1 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong.

(Æ Note 10) 6 電郵地址 E-mail Address

N/A

提交人的資料 Presentor's Reference (註 Note 3)

姓名 Name: Kinetic Corporate Services Limited

地址 Address: Room 2210, C C Wu Building,

302 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong.

烤真 Fax: 2891 7007 電話 Tel: 2891 2121

電郵地址 E-mail Address:

檔號 Reference: HNV

指明編號 4/2007(除訂) (2007年 12月) Specification No. 4/2007 (Revision) (Dec. 2007) 請勿塡寫本欄 For Official Use

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Submission No.: CR NO .:

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Sh. Form.:

Revenue Code

Amount(HKD)

\$105.00

Receipt No. Method

Amount(HKD)

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Total Paid

\$105.00

公司經號 Company Number

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7 按揭及押記 Mortgages and Charges

被至本申報表日期,所有須根據〈公司條例〉第 80 及第 82 條規定向公司註冊處處長登記的按揭 及押記的未償還總額

Total Amount outstanding as of the Date of this Return on all mortgages and charges which are required to be registered with the Registrar of Companies pursuant to sections 80 and 82 of the Companies Ordinance

N/A			

(注 Note 11) 8 無股本公司的成員數目 Number of Member(s) of a Company Not Having a Share Capital (有股本的公司無需填稅此項 Company having a share capital need not complete this section)

截至本申報丧日期的成員數目 Number of member(s) as at the Date of this Return

N/A

Note 12) 9 股本 Share Capital (無股本的公司無唇與殺罪 9 及第 10 項 Company not having a share capital need not complete sections 9 & 10)

•	数至本申報表日期 As at the Date of this Return						
	法定股本 Authorized Share Capital		已發行股本 Issued Share Capital				
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[†] 請註明貨幣單位(例如:港元、美元) Please specify the currency (e.g. HKD, USD)

公司編號 Company Number

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(註 Note 13) 10 有股本公司的成員詳情 Details of Member(s) of a Company Having a Share Capital (有版本的公司必領資報出資・如末能邀錄於下列委格内・請用環頁 A 資報・ Company having a share capital must complete this section. Use Continuation Sheet A if there is insufficient space.)

截至本申報表日期的成員詳情 Details of Member(s) as at the Date of this Return

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^{*}如公司的股份自上一份周年申報表日期以來(如屬首份周年申報表,則自公司成立爲法團以來)有任何轉讓,有關詳懷亦請一併申報;股份受讓人的姓名/名稱請在「備註」一欄註明·

^{*} If there have been any transfers of the company's shares since the date of the last Annual Return (or since incorporation if this is the first Annual Return), please also provide details of the transfers; the name of the transferee should be stated in the 'Remarks' column.

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公司編號 Company Number

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	英文姓名 Name in English		氏 Surname		名字 Other Names
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(柱 Note 17)	中文名稱 Name In Chinese	堅力工商	育理服務有	可限公司	
(注 Note 17)	英文名稱 Name in English	Kinetic Cor	porate Service	s Limited	
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公司編號 Company Number

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公司編號 Company Number

12	董事	Director	(接上百	cont'd)
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	C. 備任董事 Reserve Did (只適用於只有一名成 company with only one r	rector 次員而該成員同時亦是唯一董 nember who is also the sole direc	事的私人公司 Only applicable to a private tor of the company)
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表格 Form AR1 公司編號 Company Number

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Address where the following registers of the company are kept (if not kept at the Registered Office in Section 5)

登書	己冊 Register	地址 Address
а	成員登記冊 Register of Members	N/A
b	債権證持有人登記冊 (如有的話) Register of Debenture Holders (Kapy)	N/A ·

(注 Note 24) 14 隨本表格提交的帳目所涵蓋的會計期

Period Covered by Accounts Submitted with this Form

(私人公司無需複報此項 A private company need not complete this section)

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15 證明書 Certificate

(此項證明只適用於私人公司・如不適用・請別去此項・)

(This Certificate should only be completed in respect of a private company. If not applicable, please delete.)

本人證明公司自上一份周年申羁委日期以來(如屬首份周年申報委,則自成立爲法匯以來),並無發出任何文件,邀請公眾人士認購公司任何股份或債權證;同時如成員數目於本申報表日期超過五十,則所超出的成員,全是根據(公司條例)第 29(1)(b)條不須計算入該五十名額內的人士。I certify that the company has not, since the date of the last Annual Return (or since incorporation if this is the first Annual Return), issued any invitation to the public to subscribe for any shares or debentures in the company and that if the number of members is in excess of 50 as at the Date of this Return, the excess are persons who under section 29(1)(b) of the Companies Ordinance are not to be included in the calculation of 50.

(Et Note 25) 16 公司註冊處發出的《有關董事資任的非法定指引》

'Non-statutory Guidelines on Directors' Dutles' issued by the Companies Registry

所有在本申報表涵蓋期間內的任何時間在職的公司董事,均已在該段期間開始前或在他們各自獲委任前,獲發給公司註冊處所編製的〈有關董事責任的非法定指引〉的最新版本,以供參閱和權等。

All directors of the company in office at any time during the period covered by this return have, either before the commencement of the period or before their respective appointments, been supplied with a copy of the latest version of the 'Non-statutory Guidelines on Directors' Duties' published by the Companies Registry, for their information and reference.

本申報表包括	A、		張椒萸 D·
This Return includes	Continuation Sheet(s) A,	Continuation Sheet(s) B,	1
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簽署 Signed:

姓名 Name ;

Charles Arthur Joseph Vanderperre 董事 Director/秘書 Secretary *

日期 Date:

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指明編號 4/2007(参訂) (2007 年 12 月) Specification No. 4/2007 (Revision) (Dec. 2007)

Exhibit 2

From: Bharat Sharma [mailto:fleeta@univan.com.hk]

Sent: Saturday, November 24, 2007 10:09

To: 'Marland - Shiprepair' Cc: 'Bharat Sharma'

Subject: RE: M.T.DIANA - CONFIRMATION OF BOOKING DD SPACE

To: Marland-Shiprepair Kind Attn: Mr. Tony IP

From: Univan Ship Management Ltd

Fleet A / Hong Kong

Regarding: M.T. DIANA

Subject: Regarding yard confirmation

Dear Tony,

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Good day to you,

We are pleased to inform you that the owners have send their confirmation for booking the dry dock space for the subject vessel at Guangzhou CSSC-Oceanline GWS Marine Engineering Co. (Ex Guangzhou Wenchong Shipyard).

We request you to kindly send confirmation from yard side regarding taking the vessel in yard on 04/02/2008.

We are looking forward to good working relationship with you & the yard in the near future.

Kindly acknowledge the receipt of this message & your prompt reply in this regard will be highly appreciated.

Best regards Bharat Sharma / Technical superintendent For, Univan Ship Management As Agent Only Add: Suite 801, 8th Floor, Asian House, 1, Hennessy Road, Wanchai Hong Kong Mobile: +852-9147 9150 Tel: +852 - 2527 0058 (Extn. 25)

Fax: +852 - 2861 0742 Email: fleeta@univan.com.hk

Exhibit 3

From: Marland - Shiprepair [mailto:shiprepair@marland.com.hk]

Sent: Monday, November 26, 2007 09:41

To: fleeta@univan.com.hk

Cc: shiprepair@gzdock.com; 'Bharat Sharma'

Subject: M.T.DIANA - CONFIRMATION OF BOOKING DD SPACE

To: Univan Ship Management Co.

Attn: Mr. Bharat Sharma

Subject; m/t "DIANA" - Docking / Repair (Updated Quotation)

Dear Mr. Bharat Sharma san,

Good morning.

Re your e-mail we thank you very much for written firm booking for the above subject vessel's forthcoming docking repair at Guangzhou CSSC-Oceanline GWS Marine Engineering Co.

Would like to inform our shipyard principal acknowledge receipt your order and confirm they will arrange their dock space and make all necessary arrangement in advance. We have the following e-mail from the shipyard business manager and pleased to copy for your reference.

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---- Original Message ----

From: James Zhao

To: Marland - Shiprepair

Cc: linjin

Sent: Monday, November 26, 2007 8:57 AM

Subject: m/v "DIANA" - Accept owner's firm booking order

Dear Mr.Ip

Thanks for your message below

Please kindly inform owner that we accept their firm booking order subject vessel's docking repair in our yard.

We will make a proper preparation for accommodate her

Thanks / Best Regards

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Please inform your vessel's loacl agent when you appointed and our shipyard can close contact with them for vessel's latest movement. Thank you.

Good day & best regards
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